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Dear Planning Manager,

A reminder of our Politicians in Planning event on 15 October 10:00-14:00, Burnavon Arts Centre, Cookstown which will focus on shaping better places and is aimed at elected members and staff involved in planning committees. The programme is designed to explore the issues that matter to elected members, support informed decision-making and strengthen confidence in the planning process.

Each Council has been allocated 8 complimentary places and as Head of Planning you will also receive a free place to attend. Further places are extremely limited but can be booked for a £20 (plus vat) fee.

Booking is now available on our website and will close on Friday 9 October 2026. Please choose the correct package for your Council (there is a separate Head of Planning package). Alternatively send me over the names and dietary requirements and I will book the places for you. [Shaping better Places - Politicians in Planning event | The Royal Town Planning Institute](#)

Other NI events:

[NI Annual Conference – Planning for Prosperity](#) 8 September 2026, Europa Hotel Belfast will explore the role of planning and planners in delivering economic, social and cultural prosperity. **Bookings close 28 August.** Book 3 places get a 4th free (terms and conditions apply).

[Annual Law update](#) – 19 November 2026, W5 Belfast. Delegates will hear from a range of speakers who will focus on topical issues in planning law including new legislation, recent case law and case studies relevant to planning in Northern Ireland. **Bookings close 13 November.**

Please let me know if you have any further queries.

Thanks

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